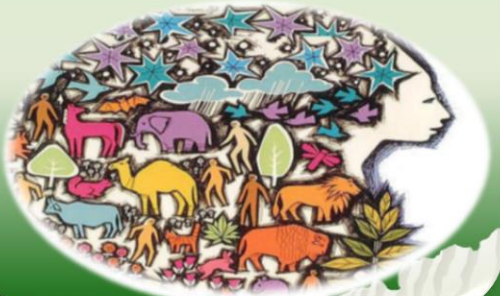


# Season of Creation

## Cultivating a Culture of Care



We are ONE





**Saint Francis is the example par excellence of care for the vulnerable and of an INTEGRAL ECOLOGY lived out joyfully and authentically.**

**He was a MYSTIC and a PILGRIM who lived in simplicity in harmony with God, with others, with nature and with himself.**

**He shows us just how inseparable the bond is**



**between concern  
for nature**

**justice for the poor,  
commitment to society,  
and interior peace.”**

***Laudato Si***



A serene sunset scene over a large body of water. The sky is filled with soft, colorful clouds in shades of pink, orange, and purple. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a warm glow. In the distance, a small island with a few trees is visible on the left. On the right, a dark, forested shoreline is silhouetted against the bright sky. The water in the foreground shows gentle ripples and a dark, pebbly beach at the bottom.

**Care of Earth**  
**our common Home**







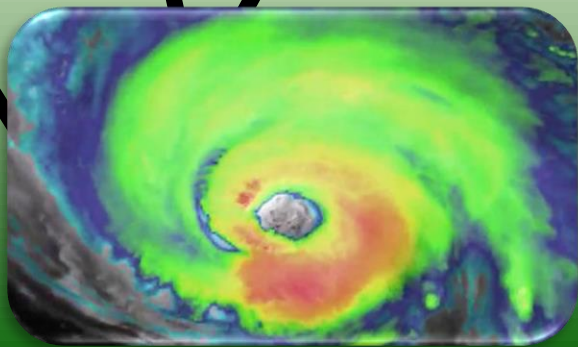






# RELATIONSHIPS





# Ecological Education and Spirituality



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# WILD BEES



Bumble bees are probably the best known and most appreciated of the wild bees in North America



## Solitary Bees





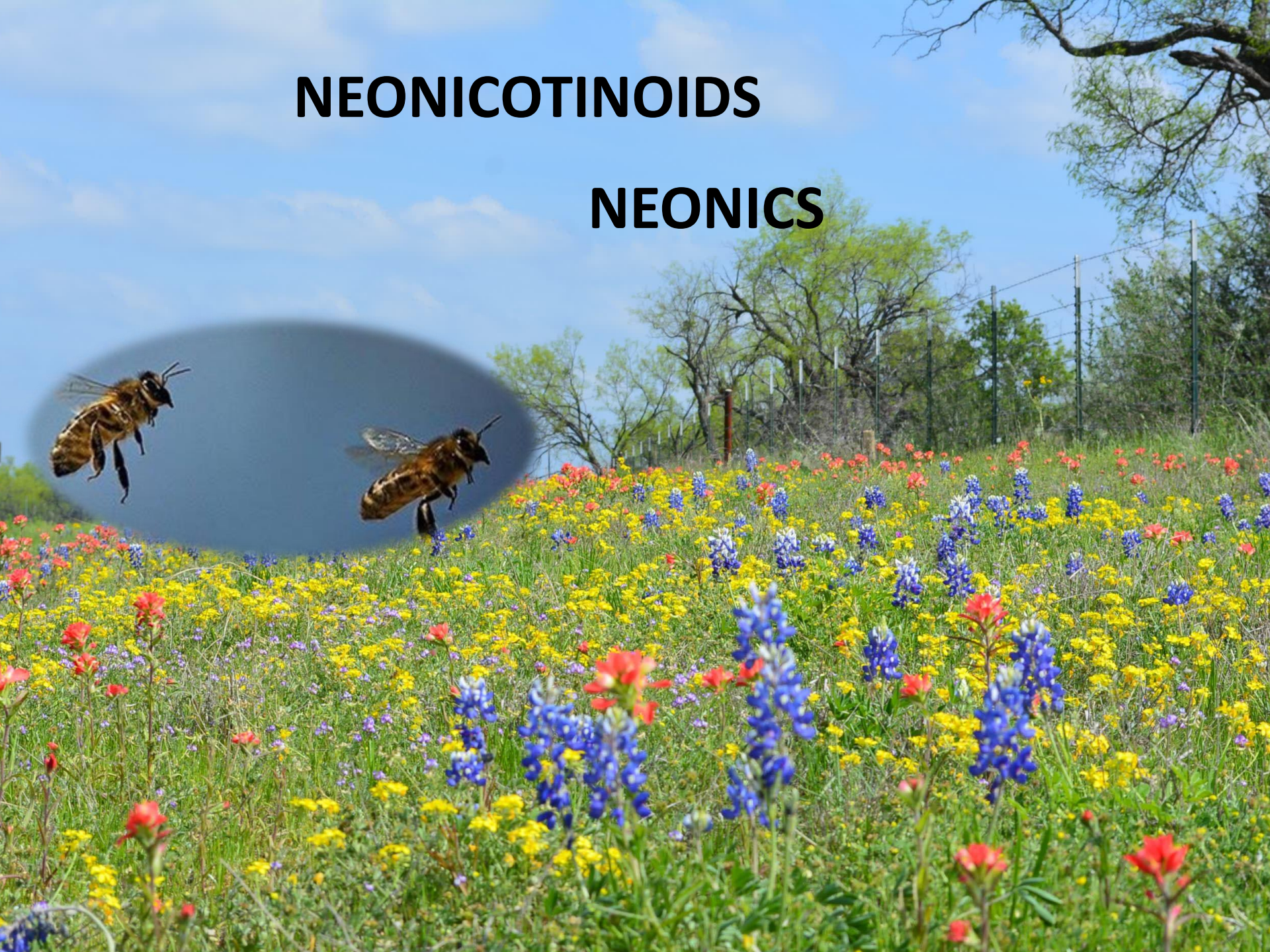


**Bees pollinate 35% of our crops**



**NEONICOTINOIDS**

**NEONICS**

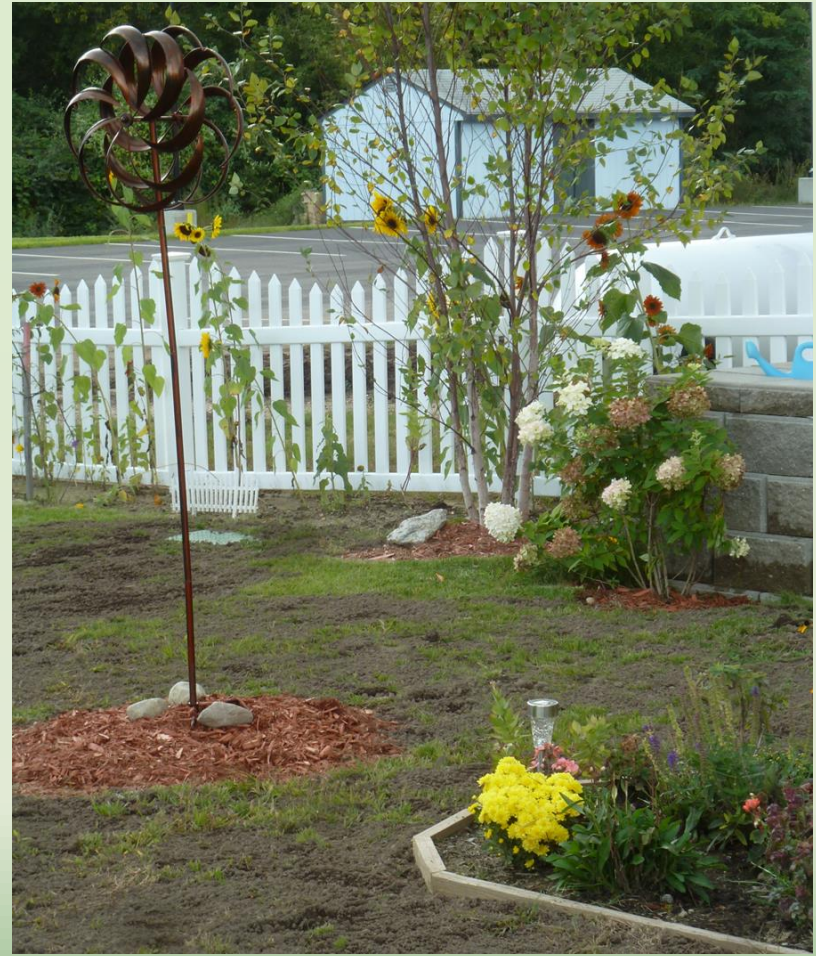




























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**Many things have to change course**

**but it is we human beings**

**above all else**

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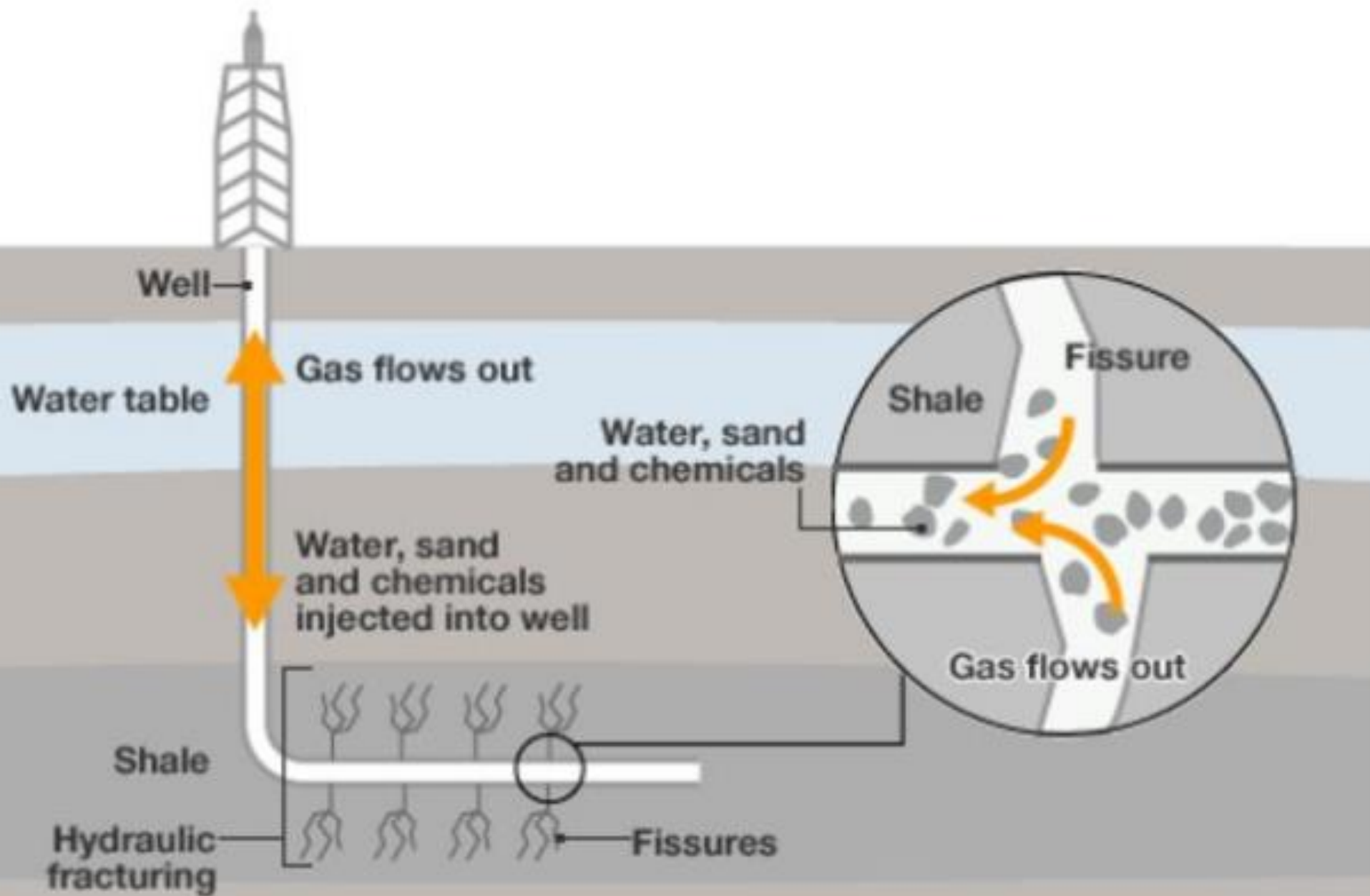








# Shale gas extraction











**Reduce your  
your carbon footprint.**



2017

**93 tons**

CO2



2018

**69 tons**

CO2

The money to our  
**Carbon Footprint Fund**  
**will help fund future projects to**  
reduce the emissions of carbon  
dioxide in the atmosphere.







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**HOW DO I CULTIVATE  
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